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# JOHN WINN McENERY

Major General, USA

John W. McEnery was born at the Presidio of San Francisco on 30 December 1925. He grew up in the Army, spending most of these years at Fort Warren, Wyoming, and the Presidio of Monterey, California. He entered the US Military Academy from his father's home state of Louisiana in 1944. At the Military Academy his sport was lacrosse; he was named All American twice and captained the Army team.

He graduated from USMA on 8 June 1948 a second lieutenant of cavalry. He went immediately to the Ground General School at Fort Riley along with other newly commissioned Regular Army officers, and then to the Armor Officers Basic Course at Fort Knox.

In August 1949, he reported to his first unit as a platoon leader—Tank Company 1st Battalion, 14th Armored Cavalry Regiment, at Fritzlar, Germany. He served for three years in the 1st Battalion, including assignments as tank platoon leader, reconnaissance company executive officer, and assistant S3 (operations officer).

Returning to Fort Knox in October 1952, he served as battalion S3 and tank company commander in the 761st Tank Battalion of the 3d Armored Division. The following year he attended the Armor Officers Advanced Course at the Armor School.

He was next selected to study Spanish for a year in Spain. From the fall of 1955 until the summer of 1958 he taught Spanish at the Military Academy—first as an instructor and then as an assistant professor.

He attended the Command and General Staff College. Upon graduation in 1959, he served as a tank company commander in the 2d Battalion, 40th Armor, and S3 of the 2d Recon Squadron, 10th Cavalry, both part of the 7th Infantry Division in Korea.

His next assignment was in the G1 office at HQ, Second US Army, at Fort Meade, Maryland, where he served as a member of the Manpower Survey Team of that headquarters until June 1962 when he was transferred to the Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations (DC-SOPS) at Headquarters, Department of the Army. Following a year in the Combat Developments Directorate there, he was assigned to the Office of the Chief of Staff of the Army where he served two years.

He was selected to attend the Spanish Army Staff College in Madrid, Spain, starting in September 1965. Following graduation in June 1966, he served for a year in the Military Assistance Advisory Group in Madrid as Chief of the Materiel and Program Branch of the Army Section.

In 1968 he attended the Air War College at Maxwell Air Force Base, Alabama. Here he was named a Distinguished Graduate and earned a Master of Science Degree in International Affairs from George Washington University.

Next, he commanded the 3d Squadron, 11th Armored Cavalry in the Republic of Vietnam from July 1968 to June 1969.

Returning to CONUS he was assigned as the Secretary of the General Staff at HQ, CONARC at Fort Monroe, Virginia for nine months, during which period he was selected to attend the senior officers' aviator program starting in May 1970. He graduated from the course at Fort Rucker in December 1970.

On 30 December 1970 he assumed command of the 2d Brigade, 1st Armored Division at Fort Hood. On 5 May 1971 this brigade became the 2d Brigade (Air Cavalry Combat Brigade) of the 1st Cavalry Division (TRICAP).

On 30 June 1972 Colonel McEnery relinquished command of the Air Cavalry Combat Brigade and on 1 July was promoted to brigadier general (effective 22 June) and assumed his duties as Assistant Division Commander of the 1st Cavalry Division.

He became Deputy Director (Operations and Administration) for the Defense Nuclear Agency on 12 November 1973.

On 5 August 1974 he assumed command of the 101st Airborne Division (Airmobile) and Fort Campbell, Fort Campbell, Kentucky.

On 26 February 1976, General McEnery assumed his present position as Commander, US Army Armor Center and Fort Knox.

*Awards and Decorations:* Distinguished Service Cross; Silver Star, 1st Oak Leaf Cluster; Legion of Merit, 2d Oak Leaf Cluster; Bronze Star Medal; Meritorious Service Medal; Air Medal with 25 Devices; Joint Service Commendation Medal (1 OLC); Purple Heart; World War II Victory Medal; American Campaign Medal; Army of Occupation Medal (Germany); National Defense Service Medal, 1st Oak Leaf Cluster; Vietnam Service Medal with 4 Bronze Stars; Cross of the Order of Military Merit Medal (Spanish); Republic of Vietnam Gallantry Cross with Gold Star; Republic of Vietnam Gallantry Cross with Silver Star (Second Award—2 Stars); Republic of Vietnam Gallantry Cross with Bronze Star; Republic of Vietnam Honor Medal, 1st Class; Vietnam Campaign Medal with 60



JOHN W. McENERY  
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Devices. *Unit Awards:* Valorous Unit Citation (US); Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation; Republic of Vietnam Gallantry Cross w/Palm (2d Award).

*Badges:* Parachutist Badge; Army Aviator Badge; Combat Infantry Badge; Department of the Army General Staff Identification Badge; Republic of Vietnam Armor Badge.

*Chronological List of Assignments:* Staff Officer, Research and Development Coordination Division, Office of Director and Coordination and Analysis, Office of Chief of Staff, Army, Washington, D.C. Jul 63 to Sep 65; Student, Spanish Staff College, Madrid, Spain Sep 65 to Jun 66; Deputy Chief (later Chief) Materiel and Programming Branch, Army Section, Joint US Military Group, Military Advisory Group, Spain Jun 66 to Jun 67; Student, Air War College, Maxwell AFB, AL Aug 67 to Jun 68; Commander, 3d Squadron, 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment, Vietnam Jul 68 to Jun 69; Secretary of General Staff, US Continental Command, Fort Monroe, VA Aug 69 to May 70; Student, Primary Helicopter Center School, Ft Wolters, TX May 70 to Sep 70; Student, US Army Aviation School, Ft Rucker, AL Sep 70 to Dec 70; Commander, 2d Brigade, 1st Cavalry Division, Ft Hood, TX Dec 70 to Jul 72; Assistant Division Commander, 1st Cav Div (TRICAP), Ft Hood, TX Jul 72 to Nov 73; Deputy Director, Operation and Administration, Defense Nuclear Agency, Washington, D.C. Nov 73 to Aug 74; Commander, 101st Airborne Division (Airmobile) and Fort Campbell, KY Aug 74 to Feb 76; Commander, US Army Armor Center and Fort Knox/Commandant, US Army Armor School Feb 76 to Present.

*Personal Data:* Date and Place of Birth: 30 December 1925, Presidio of San Francisco. Wife: Constance (Connie) Markley of Cheyenne, Wyoming. Children: Douglas, age 25, a graduate student at the University of Kansas; John, age 17. Hometown: Cheyenne, Wyoming.





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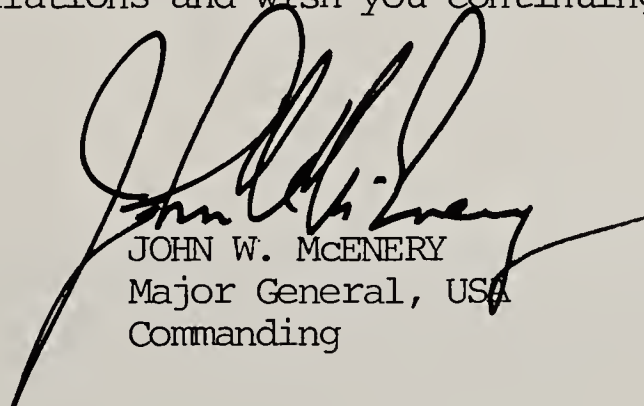
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CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATE

You arrived at Fort Knox eight weeks ago as a civilian and now you are a soldier. This is a memorable accomplishment of which you can be proud. It is hoped that this book, in the years ahead, will be a pleasant reminder of the contributions you have made in preparation for the defense of your country and of your initial introduction to the United States Army.

You have received the finest training possible in all military subjects. I encourage you to make full use of the skills, knowledge and confidence that you have developed. As a soldier walk with pride and perform your mission in the most exemplary manner. You are responsible for upholding the long, distinguished reputation and tradition of the United States Army.

On this significant occasion, your graduation from Basic Combat Training, I extend my congratulations and wish you continuing success in the future.

  
JOHN W. McENERY  
Major General, USA  
Commanding





# DAVID KYTE DOYLE

## Brigadier General, USA

Brigadier General David K. Doyle was born in Pottsville, Pennsylvania on 8 December 1931. He joined the US Army from Wilmington, Delaware on 12 February 1951 as an enlisted man. After completing Airborne School, he joined the 508th Airborne Infantry Regimental Combat Team at Fort Benning, Georgia where he rose to the rank of Sergeant. After a short tour with the Regiment, he entered Officer Candidate School at Fort Knox, Kentucky and in July 1952 was graduated as a Second Lieutenant of Armor.

Remaining at Fort Knox with the 3d Armored Division, he served as a Training Officer in an Advanced Individual Training Company. After a year with a training command, he was assigned to the 510th Tank Battalion in Europe, serving as both Reconnaissance and Tank Platoon Leader, Company Executive Officer, Battalion Intelligence Officer and Assistant Operations Officer.

He returned to the United States in 1956 and was assigned to the 714th Tank Battalion at Fort Benning, Georgia. After helping the Battalion organize and train for European duty, he was reassigned first to Tank Company, 29th Infantry Regiment, and subsequently to the 3d Infantry Division. The latter was designated to participate in Operation Gyroscope in 1957 and deployed to West Germany in 1958. While in Europe, he commanded Companies B and E of the 1st Battalion, 68th Armor and later served on the Division Staff as the Assistant G3 Plans Officer.

He returned to Fort Knox, Kentucky in 1961 and served a few months with the 1st Brigade of the Armor Training Center as the Committee Group Chief. From there, he went to the Armor School to attend the Advanced Course. After graduation, he remained with the Command and Staff Department of the School where he served first as an instructor in Nuclear Weapons Employment and Staff Operations followed by assignment as Chief of Small Armor Tactics. In 1965, he was selected for the Command and General Staff College at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

After graduation in June 1966, he was next assigned to the 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment at Fort Meade, Maryland. From then until September 1967, he served as the Operations Officer of the 3d Squadron, first helping to finalize training and preparation for overseas movement, secondly deploying the Squadron to South Vietnam, and finally serving with the Squadron throughout the III Corps area.

After returning to the United States, he was assigned to the Officer Personnel Directorate in Washington, D.C., where he served both as a War Plans Officer and Personnel Management Officer. In May 1969, he returned to the III Corps area of South Vietnam and the 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment to command the 3d Squadron. In late December, he was next assigned to I Corps as the Senior Advisor to the Dong Da National Training Center.

Returning to the United States in June 1970, he was assigned to the Pentagon to serve as an Assistant Secretary of the General Staff in the Office of the Chief of Staff of the Army. After a year in this position, he was selected to attend the National War College. Upon graduation in June 1972, he returned to the Office of the Chief of Staff where he served the next year as the Chief of Staff Management Division.

In July 1973, he was selected to command the 3d Armored Cavalry Regiment at Fort Bliss, Texas. Upon completion of the command tour in February 1975, he returned once again to the Pentagon to serve as the Deputy to the Director of the Army Staff in the Office of the Chief of Staff.

In March 1976, he was assigned to his present position of Deputy Commanding General, United States Army Armor Center and Fort Knox, Fort Knox, Kentucky.

*Chronological List of Assignments:* Student Officer, US Army Command and General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas Aug 65 to Jun 66; S3, 3d Squadron, 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment, US Army Pacific-Vietnam Jun 66 to Sep 67; Personnel Management Officer, Officer Personnel Directorate, Office of Personnel Operations, Washington, D.C. Sep 67 to Jun 69; Commanding Officer, 3d Squadron, 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment, US Army Pacific-Vietnam Jun 69 to Dec 69; Senior Advisor, Dong Da National Training Center, US Military Assistance Command Vietnam, US Army Pacific—Vietnam Dec 69 to Jun 70; Assistant Secretary of the General Staff, Office of the Deputy Secretary of the General Staff (SS), Office of the Chief of Staff of the Army, Washington, D.C. Jun 70 to Aug 71; Student Officer, National War College, Washington, D.C. Aug 71 to Jul 72; Chief, Staff Management Division, Office of the Deputy Secretary of the General Staff (SS), Office of the Chief of Staff of the Army, Washington, D.C. Jul 72 to Jul 73; Commander, 3d Armored Cavalry Regiment, Fort Bliss, Texas Jul 73 to Mar 75; Deputy to Director of Army Staff, Office of the Chief of Staff of the Army, Washington, D. C. Mar 75 to Mar 76; Deputy Commanding General, US Army Armor Center and Fort Knox, Fort Knox, Kentucky Mar 76 to Present.



DAVID KYTE DOYLE  
Brigadier General, USA

*Civilian Education:* University of Maryland—1963 (B.S.—Military Science. US Army Command and General Staff College—1966 (M.S.—Military Science). George Washington University—1972 (M.S.—International Affairs).

*Military Schools:* The Armor School, 1962; US Army Command and General Staff College, 1966; National War College, 1972.

### *Chronological List of Promotions Rank*

	<i>Temporary</i>		<i>Regular</i>	
Second Lieutenant			22 Jul	52
First Lieutenant	22 Jan	54	8 Dec	55
Captain	19 Nov	58	8 Dec	59
Major	2 Jan	64	8 Dec	66
Lieutenant Colonel	21 Jul	67	8 Dec	73
Colonel	11 Jun	73		
Brigadier General	11 Mar	76		

*List of Citations and Decorations:* Silver Star with 2 Oak Leaf Clusters; Legion of Merit with 2 Oak Leaf Clusters; Bronze Star Medal with "V" Device and 3 Oak Leaf Clusters; Meritorious Service Medal with 1 Oak Leaf Cluster; Air Medal with "4" Device; Army Commendation Medal with 1 Oak Leaf Cluster; Purple Heart; Parachutist Badge.

*Personal Background Material:* Date and Place of Birth: 8 December 1931, Pottsville, Pennsylvania. Parents—Father: L. T. Alexander, Mother: Emily Alexander. Marriage Date: 26 July 1952. Wife: Janet L. (Colbourne) Doyle. Children: David K. (10 Feb 56). Jeffery A. (4 Feb 58). Steven F. (14 Apr 59). Official Home of Record: RD 3, Box 250 E2H, Hockessin, Delaware 19707. SSN: 578-40-4691.



# History of United States Army Training Center, Armor

The history of the United States Army Training Center, Armor (USATCA), dates back to 1940, when Europe was overrun by Nazism and the United States initiated its first peacetime draft in history. The Training Center had three names in that first year. It was entitled the Armored Force School and Replacement Center on 1 October 1940, and changed to the Armored Force Replacement Center 25 days later. In April, 1941, the title became the Armored Force Replacement Training Center.

The Armored Force Replacement Training Center grew considerably in size and function during World War II, with the title being changed again in 1943 to the Armor Replacement Training Center. After the war, when the United States demobilized portions of its huge wartime forces, the Armor Replacement Training Center was placed on an inactive status. This occurred in July of 1947 when the Third Armored Division was reactivated at Fort Knox and assumed the training mission of the Armor Replacement Training Center.

In 1955, the Third Armored Division was ordered to "combat ready" status for eventual shipment to Europe. This brought the Armor Replacement Training Center back to active status in March of that year to carry on the training functions. The name of the Training Center was changed to its present title in March of 1956.

As of 1 January 1976, approximately one

and one-half million trainees had completed one or more training programs in the Training Center since its inception.

The Training Center is organized into two training brigades, Committee Group, the US Army Reception Station and the Fort Knox Noncommissioned Officer Academy, and Drill Sergeant School. The First Training Brigade conducts Basic Armor Training (BAT) for Armor crewmen and Basic Reconnaissance Training (BRT) for Armor reconnaissance specialists under the One Station Unit Training (OSUT) concept. Additionally, the First Brigade conducts Advanced training for Armored Engineers and add-on qualification for soldiers assigned to Armor units equipped with vehicles other than the M60A1 tank. The Fourth Training Brigade conducts Basic Combat Training (BCT) for soldiers who enlist for military occupational specialties (MOS's) in fields other than Armor. The Committee Group conducts approximately 50% of the training in basic soldier skills for both OSUT and BCT units, with the remainder being taught by the training unit cadre.

The Training Center has the capability to conduct training for approximately 8,500 men at any one time. Its permanent party authorized strength, including officers and enlisted is about 2,500. Currently, approximately 50,000 trainees graduate from the various training center programs each year.







Headquarters Armor Center



Wickam Guest House





Entrance to Fort Knox



Copple Service Club



Cavalry Chapel

Cherry Hall







Headquarters 1st Brigade.



Classroom for AIT





# U.S. Army Recruiting

“Rapping” with the Recruiter

Swearing-In Ceremony





# Welcome and Orientation 1st Day





# Reception Station Processing

















# Basic Combat Training and Advanced Individual Training





# Close Order Drill









# Map Reading





# Inspections





# Target Detector Class





# Physical Training









# Obstacle Course









# Obstacle Course









# First Aid





# First Aid









# Communication on Radio





# Gas Mask Exercises





# Gas Mask Exercises





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## M16 Rifle Marksmanship





















M219





# M3A1 Submachine Gun





# Pistol Range





# Free Time









# Chaplain's Orientation





# Free Time







## Tank Maintenance









# Tank Firing Range





# Tank Convoy





# Combat Orientation Course





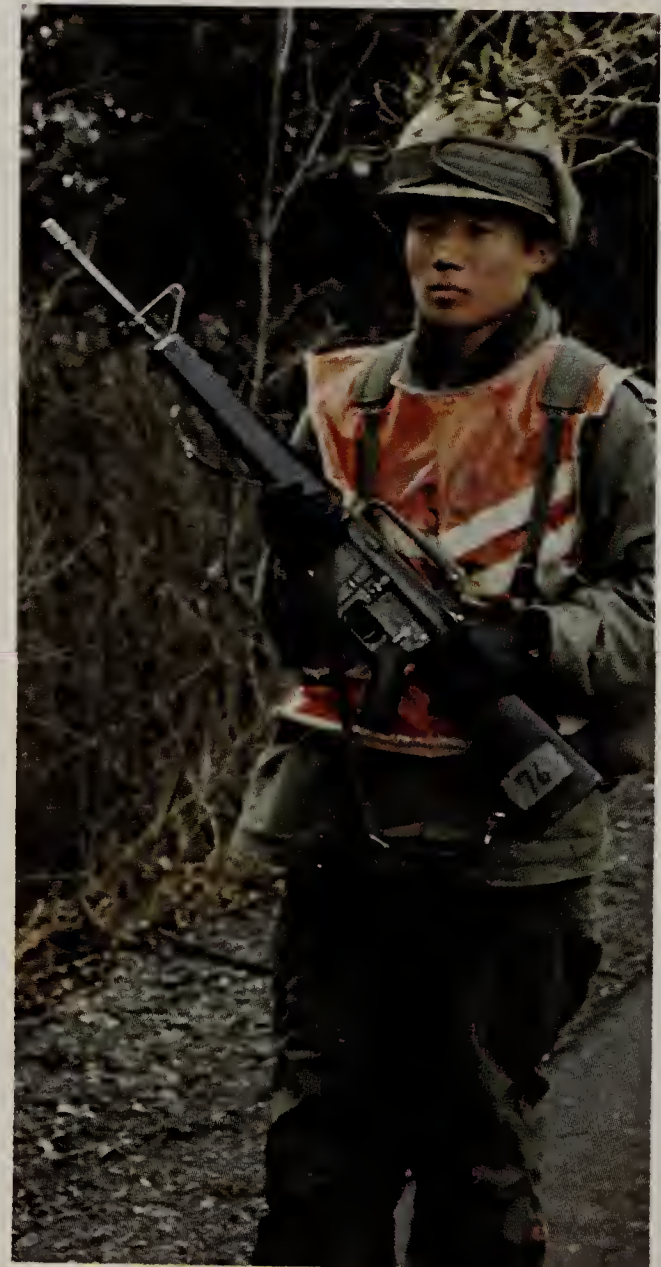








# Fire and Maneuver













# Family Day













# Testing Army Personnel Carrier





# Hand Grenades









# Marches





# BPFT





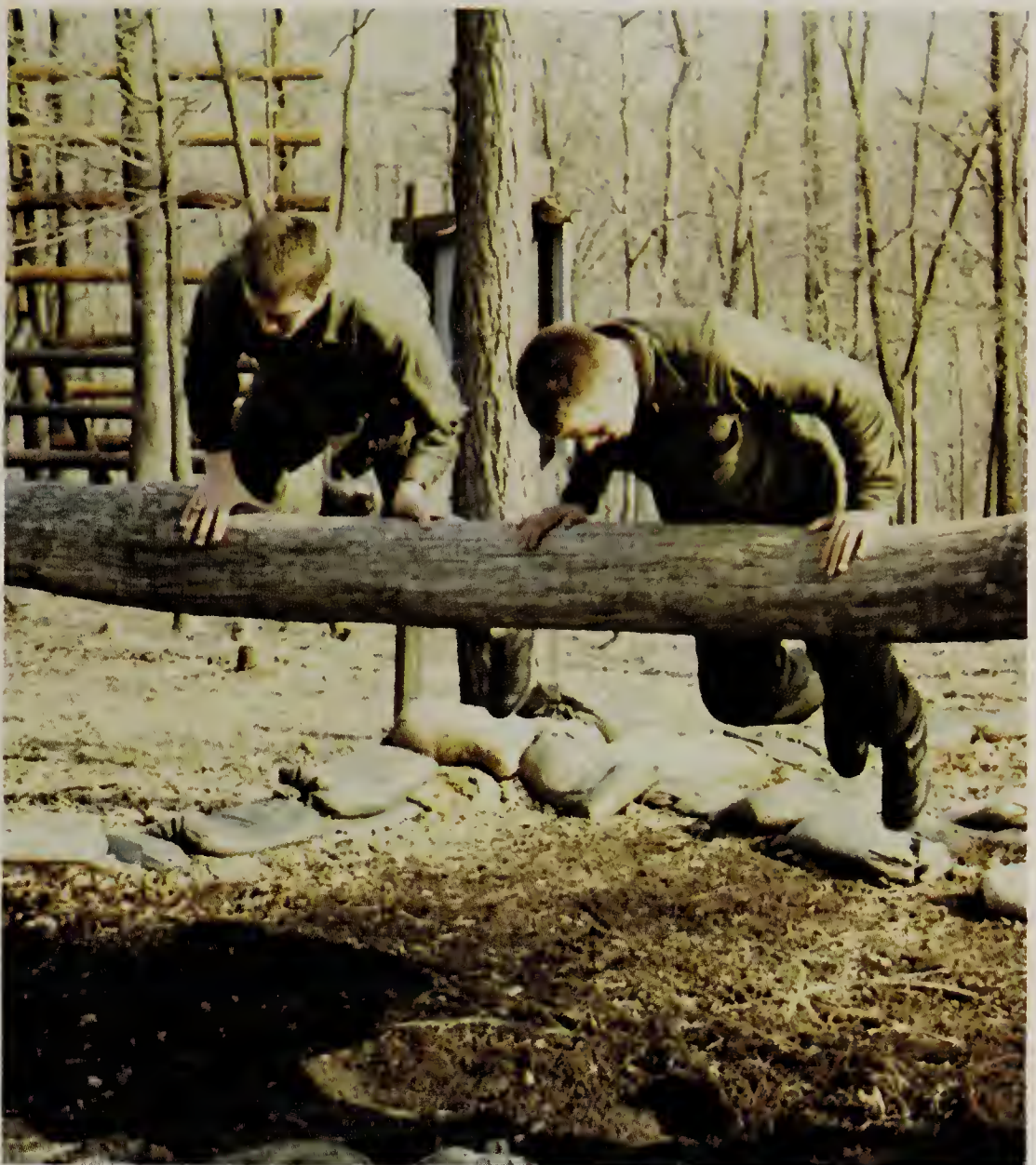
# Obstacle Course













# Field Chow















# M60 Machine Gun





# Speed Training





# Zero-In M16





# Tank Driving Range





# Cleaning Tanks





# Combat Skill Course









# Graduation













# First Training Brigade

Basic Reconnaissance Training - Basic Armor Training



COL Philip L. Bolte  
Brigade Commander



LTC (P) Homer L. Stapleton  
Deputy Command Officer



LTC William V. Hill  
Battalion Commander



CPT Robert M. Strickland  
Company Commander



1LT John W. Ulrich  
XO



2LT Michael A. Hoyt  
Training Officer

Commenced Training  
7 June 1976

# C-2-1

Completed Training  
3 September 1976





ISGT Frank J. Smith  
First Sergeant



SSG Billy Hinton  
First Platoon Sergeant



SSG Reinaldo V. Aguilar  
Second Platoon Sergeant



SGT Garry L. Dalton  
Asst. Second Platoon Sergeant



SSG Freddie S. Green  
DI Candidate



SFC Herman Watkins  
Third Platoon Sergeant



SSG Barney R. Crocker  
Asst. Third Platoon Sergeant



SFC Charles D. Pitts  
Fourth Platoon Sergeant



SSG Eddie D. Norris  
Asst. Fourth Platoon Sergeant





SFC Otha A. Lumley  
Fifth Platoon Sergeant



SSG Richard D. Mote  
Asst. Fifth Platoon Sergeant



SSG Jessie R. Harper  
DI Candidate



SFC Dennis R. Shelby  
Sixth Platoon Sergeant



SSG William K. Green  
Asst. Sixth Platoon Sergeant



SFC Edward L. Fox  
Training NCO



SSG Milton B. Merren, Jr.  
Supply Sergeant



PFC Logan C. Trice  
Supply Clerk



Patricia A. Arthur  
Civilian Company Clerk



SSG Willie M. Smith, Jr.  
Sr. Tank Commander





SGT William J. Cooper  
Tank Commander



SSG Dennis S. Beatty  
Tank Commander



SGT William S. Marion  
Tank Commander



SGT Lawrence G. Walko  
Tank Commander



SGT John E. Montonye  
Tank Commander



SGT James R. Russell  
Tank Commander



SGT Antonio Morales  
Tank Commander



SGT Alfred Daye, Jr.  
Tank Commander



SFC William J. Faust, Jr.  
Motor Sergeant



SP4 Donald A. Lugar  
Mechanic



PFC Jeffrey R. Hinz  
Mechanic



PFC Stewart W. Owens  
Mechanic





Richard Albright



Jonathan Amole



Harold Ballou



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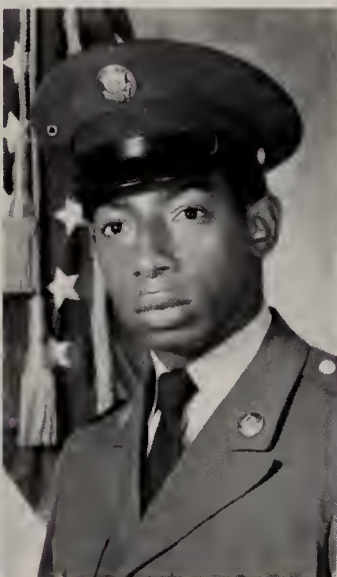
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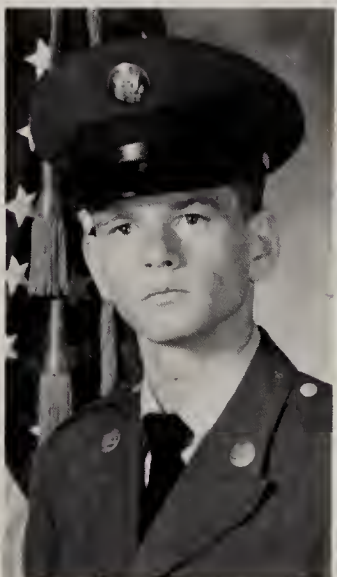
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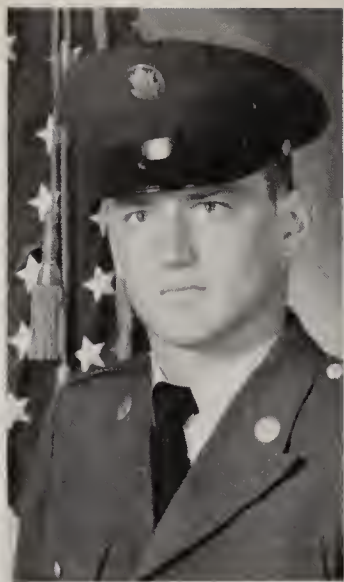


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Harold Daugherty



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Wayne Douglas



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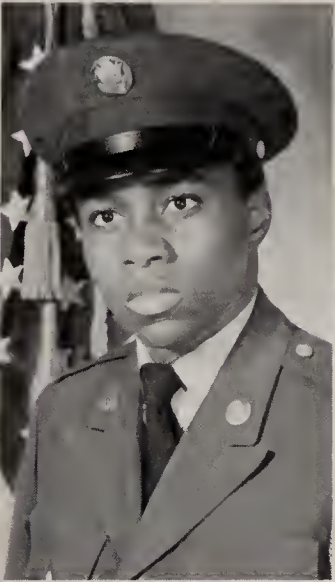
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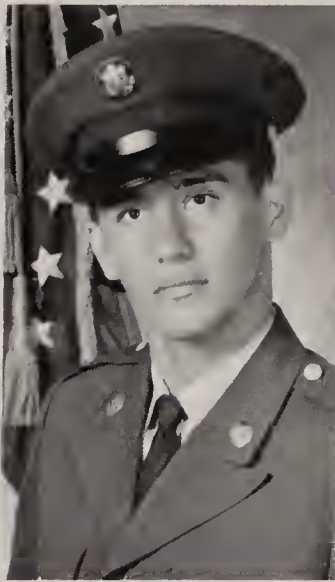
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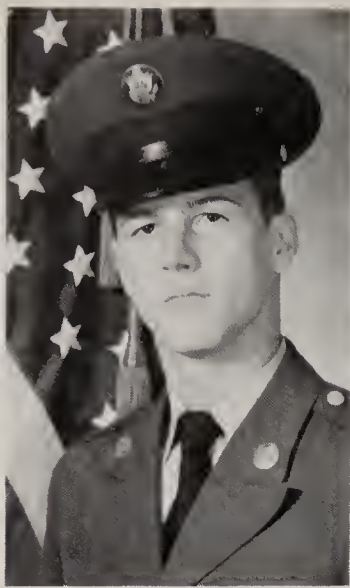


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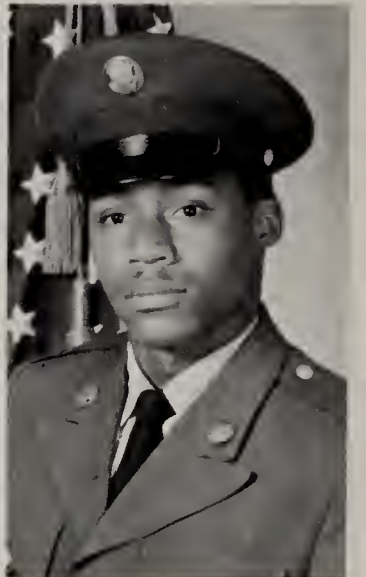
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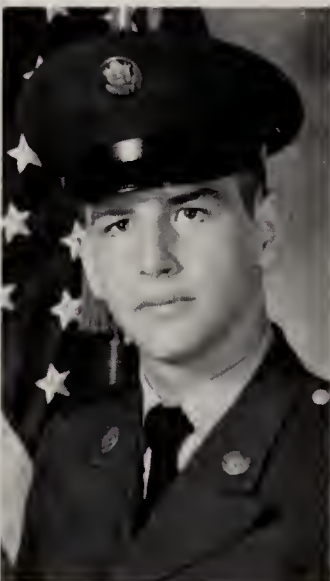
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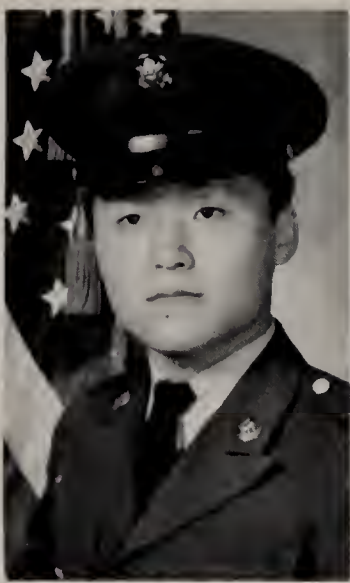


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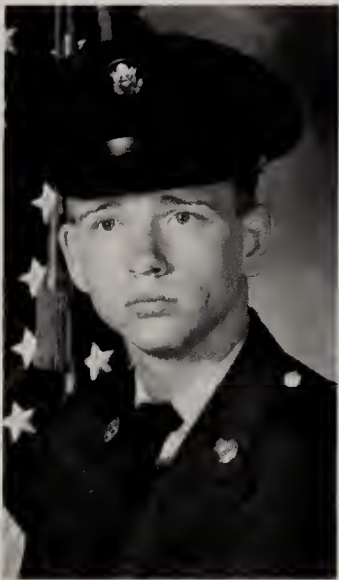
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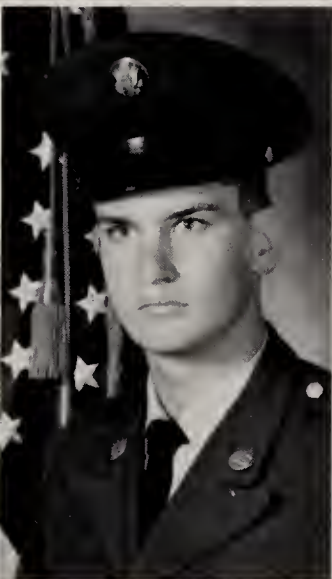
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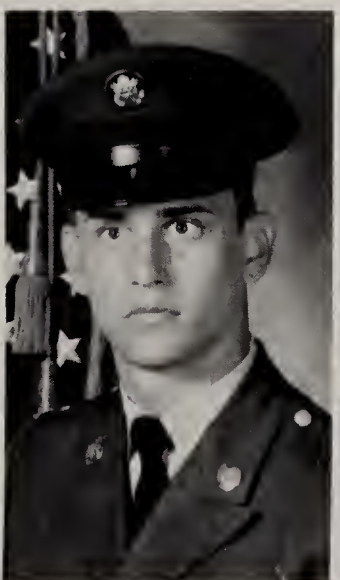
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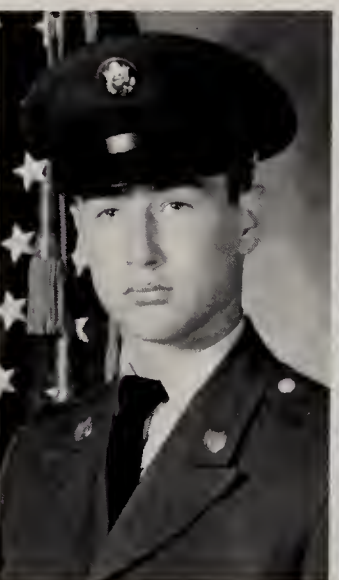
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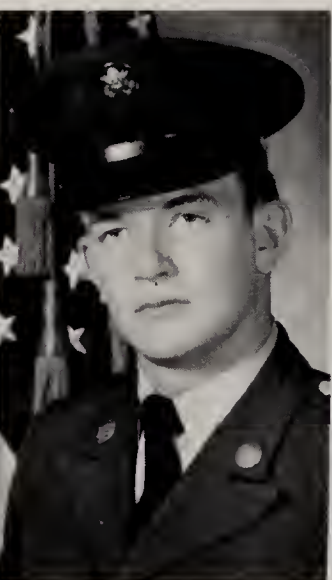
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Alfred Smith



James Spriggs



Richard Spurling



Jeff Stallings



Harry Standley



Michael Starks



Randall Sturgeon



George Sumnicht



Howard Tack



Thomas Takos



David Tanner



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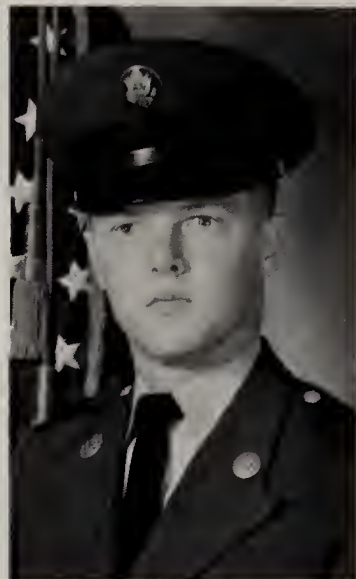
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